

**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF _____ COUNTY,
STATE OF UTAH**

IN THE MATTER OF:

**INITIAL FINDINGS AND
ORDER OF COMMITMENT**

_____ Case No: _____

This matter was duly heard on the _____ day of _____, 20_____,
and the Court, pursuant to UCA 62A-15-631(10), having found by clear and
convincing evidence that:

- a. the proposed patient has a mental illness;
- b. because of the proposed patient's mental illness he poses a substantial
danger of physical injury to himself, which may include the inability to
provide the basic necessities of life such as food, clothing, and shelter, if
allowed to remain at liberty;
- c. the patient lacks the ability to engage in a rational decision-making
process regarding the acceptance of mental treatment as demonstrated
by evidence of inability to with the possible risks of accepting or
rejecting treatment;
- d. there is no appropriate less-restrictive alternative to a court order of
commitment; and
- e. the local mental health authority can provide the individual with
treatment that is adequate and appropriate to his conditions and needs,

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that _____ shall be
committed to _____, for a temporary period of _____,
Local Mental Health Authority
which does not exceed six months unless sooner discharged by proper authority.

Recommended this _____ day of _____, 20_____.

Mental Health Commissioner

ORDERED this _____ day of _____, 20_____.

District Court Judge